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Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street 27th Floor Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Attn: Christine Long, Registrar

Dear Ms. Long:

## Re: EB-2018-0329 - Marathon North Shore LNG Project - Cost Claim Process

We are counsel to the School Energy Coalition ("SEC"). SEC's writes on its own behalf, as well as on behalf of the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition ("VECC"). On February 27, 2020, the Board issued its Decision and Order in this matter (the "Decision"). The Decision involved Phase 1 of the application and contemplated that the Applicant would file further information as part of a Phase 2 not long afterwards. It has now been over 17 months since the Decision and no Phase 2 information has been filed by the Applicant. Even if such information is expected to be filed soon, it will likely take an additional 6 to 9 months for Phase 2 to be adjudicated. Considering the lengthy time that has elapsed, SEC and VECC request that the Board initiate procedural steps for cost eligible intervenors to file cost claims regarding Phase 1 of the application.

Yours very truly, **Shepherd Rubenstein P.C.** 

Mark Rubenstein

cc: Ted Doherty, SEC (by email)
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Applicant and interested parties (by email)